5/17/4

Respense Under 37 CFR 1.116
Expedited Procedure CEXAMINING Group

Attorney Docket No. GFB-1 DIV

Corres. and Mail

MAN 1 1 2004 Appli

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants

Jens Kossmann et al.

Application No.

09/843,007

Confirmation No.

9893

Examiner

Stuart Baum

Filed

April 26, 2001

Group Art Unit

1638

For

DNA SEQUENCE CODING FOR ENZYMES

CAPABLE OF FACILITATING THE SYNTHESIS OF LINEAR α -1,4 GLUCANS IN PLANTS, FUNGI AND

MICROORGANISMS

New York, New York 10020 May 14, 2004

MAIL STOP AF

Hon. Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: [X] an Amendment and Response to Final Office Action; [X] a Notice of Appeal [X] a Three-Month Petition for Extension of Time (in duplicate); [X] a check for \$950.00 (extension fee); and [X] a check for \$330.00 (appeal fee) to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

- [X] A fee for additional claims is not required.
- [] A fee for additional claims is required.

The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	11 -	33	=	0	X	\$ 18	= \$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6-	8	=	0	х	\$ 86	= \$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM + \$290 = \$ 0.00							= \$ 0.00

TOTAL <u>\$ 0.00</u>

- [] A check in the amount of \$__ in payment of the filing fee is transmitted herewith.
- [X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.
- Please charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1075 in payment of the filing fee. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

EXTENSION FEE

[X] The following extension is applicable to the Response filed herewith; [] \$110.00 extension fee for response within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$420.00 extension fee for response within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [X] \$950.00 extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$1,480.00 extension fee for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); \$2,010.00 within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

- [X] A check in the amount of [] \$110.00; [X] \$420.00; [X] \$950.00; [] \$1,480.00; [] \$2,010.00 in payment of the extension fee is transmitted herewith.
- [X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.
- [] Please charge the [] \$110.00; [] \$420.00; [] \$950.00; [] \$1,480.00; [] \$2,010.00; extension fee to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

James F. Haley, Jr. (Reg. No. 27,794)

Attorney for Applicants c/o FISH & NEAVE

Customer No. 1473

1251 Avenue of the Americas New York, New York 10020

Phone: 212.596.9000 Fax: 212.596.9090

Attorney Docket No. GFB-1 DIV1



Applicants

Jens Kossmann et al.

Application No.

09/843,007

Confirmation No. :

9893

Filed

April 26, 2001

For

DNA SEQUENCE CODING FOR ENZYMES CAPABLE

OF FACILITATING THE SYNTHESIS OF LINEAR α -1,4

GLUCANS IN PLANTS, FUNGI AND

MICROORGANISMS

Group Art Unit

1638

Examiner

Stuart F. Baum

New York, New York 10020 May 14, 2004

Hon. Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

"Express Mail" mailing label number EV371750972US

Date of Deposit May 14, 2004

I hereby certify that this paper/fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "EXPRESS MAIL POST OFFICE TO ADDRESSEE" service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450,

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Claire J. Saintil-van Goodman

Encl:

- Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);
- Reply to Office Action;
- Notice of Appeal;
- Three-Month Petition for Extensin of Time (in duplicate);
- Check for \$950.00 (extension fee);
- Check for \$330.00 (appeal fee).